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## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

MS: AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed on August 11, 2004 (Confirmation No. 8996) in connection with the above-identified patent application, setting a one-month shortened statutory term, please consider the following remarks and arguments. The present response is accompanied by a request for a five-month extension of time, and is therefore timely.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.

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